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EIGHT TRIPS OF MACKEREL.

At This Port and at Boston This Morning.

Five of the seining fleet are at Boston this morning, all from the Rips, with small fares of fresh mackerel, and three at this port, two with fresh and one with salt mackerel. None of the fleet on Georges are in port, so there is no late report regarding the movements of the fish there.

Seiners at This Port.

- Sch. Roy Roy, 1000 large fresh mackerel.
- Sch. Lizzie M. Stanley, 1000 large fresh mackerel.
- Sch. Ingomar, 185 bbls. salt bulls-eyes.

Seiners at Boston.

- Sch. Slade Gorton, 6500 large fresh mackerel.
- Sch. Georgia, 4000 large fresh mackerel, 6 bbls. large salt mackerel.
- Sch. Nellie Dixon, 2000 large fresh mackerel.
- Sch. Mary Emerson, 500 large fresh mackerel.
- Sch. Arthur James, 3000 large fresh mackerel and 44 bbls. salt bullseyes.

Mackerel Sales.

The fresh mackerel at Boston this morning sold at 16½ cents each. The Gloucester Fresh Fish Co., had the fares of schs. Rob Roy and Lizzie M. Stanley here. The salt bullseyes of sch. Ingomar sold to the Gloucester Mackerel Co. The salt bullseyes of sch. Arthur James sold at Boston this morning for \$8 per barrel. The salt mackerel of sch. Pontiac, plain fish, sold to the Knowles Freeman Fish Co., at \$20 per barrel.

The salt mackerel of sch. Georgia sold at Boston this morning at \$21 per barrel.

Sch. Victor, Capt. John W. McFarland, stocked \$3400 on her recent fresh mackerel trip, the crew sharing \$80.90. On this trip the vessel was out but a week and on the trip the week before they shared \$91 so that their two week's salary is a dandy indeed.

Sch. Lucania, Capt. Martin L. Welch, stocked \$4900 on her recent seining trip, the crew sharing \$117.70.

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SWORDFISH AND MACKEREL.

Only Live Features of T Wharf Market.

There are 25 vessels at T wharf, Boston, today, and as it has been for the past week, everything is dull excepting fresh mackerel and swordfish. Some of the market fishermen have fine fares, but will have to bring their fares here to split. The T wharf fish dealers are paying practically splitting prices for what fish they are taking out, excepting on haddock.

Five seiners are there with small fares and four of the swordfishing fleet have not very large trips. The market fares range from 2000 to 97,000 lbs., the latter being to the credit of the Provincetown craft Mary C. Santos. Schs. Walter P. Goulart and Mary B. Greer are bound down here with their trips.

The receipts in detail are:

Boston Arrivals.

- Sch. Slade Gorton, 6500 large fresh mackerel.
- Sch. Nellie Dixon, 2000 large fresh mackerel.
- Sch. Arthur James, 3000 large fresh mackerel, 44 bbls. salt bullseyes.
- Sch. Mary Emerson, 500 large fresh mackerel.
- Sch. Georgia, 4000 large fresh mackerel, 6 bbls. salt mackerel.
- Sch. Viking, 28,000 cod, 1000 pollock.
- Sch. Leo, 6000 haddock, 8000 cod.
- Sch. Alcina, 1000 haddock, 35,000 cod.
- Sch. Hortense, 8000 haddock, 6000

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- Sch. Mary B. Greer, 40,000 cod, 10,000 cusk, 5 swordfish.
- Sch. Victor and Ethan, 5000 haddock, 10,000 cod.
- Sch. Alice M. Guthrie, 28,000 haddock, 9000 cod.
- Sch. Warren M. Goodspeed, 30,000 haddock, 2000 cod, 3000 hake.
- Sch. Mary C. Santos, 35,000 haddock, 47,000 cod, 15,000 pollock.
- Sch. Walter P. Goulart, 30,000 haddock, 32,000 cod.
- Sch. Emily Sears, 3000 cod, 4000 pollock.
- Sch. Matchless.
- Sch. Maud S., 29 swordfish.
- Sch. Albert D. Willard, 62 swordfish.
- Sch. Stranger, 59 swordfish.
- Sch. Emerald, 5000 haddock, 1000 cod, 500 hake.
- Sch. Gracie Freeman, 1000 cod, 1000 pollock.
- Sch. Catherine and Ellen, 25,000 haddock, 25,000 cod, 5000 hake.
- Sch. Lewie Warren, 24 swordfish.
- Sch. Mary E. Silveira, 1000 haddock, 27,000 cod, 18,000 pollock.
- Haddock, \$1.25 to \$1.50 per cwt.; large cod, \$2.25 to \$2.50; market cod, \$1.75 to \$1.85; swordfish, 7 cts. per lb.; fresh mackerel, 16 1-2 cts. each.

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ONE ARRIVAL FROM QUERO.

Four Mackerel Trips Also at This Port Today.

Arrivals are few in number today, and fish are light in receipt, the only good fare in being that of sch. James W. Parker from a Quero Bank salt and fresh shack voyage with a catch nearly up to the capacity of the craft.

Three seiners are in from the ground with small catches and two more are down from Boston so the crews can enjoy the holiday.

While the arrivals have not apparently been very numerous the past few days, yet in the harbor this morning are over 50 fishing vessels. It was expected that many more than this would be in on account of the holiday, but evidently the good strike of mackerel recently has held many on the ground.

The arrivals and receipts in detail are as follows:

Today's Receipts.

- Sch. Arcadia, Rips, 1500 fresh mackerel.
- Sch. Harmony, via Boston.
- Sch. Natalie J. Nelson, via Boston.
- Sch. James W. Parker, Quero Bank, 50,000 lbs. salt cod, 140,000 lbs. fresh cod.
- Sch. Lizzie M. Stanley, Rips, 1000 large fresh mackerel.
- Sch. Rob Roy, Rips, 1000 large fresh mackerel.
- Sch. Ingomar, Georges, 185 bbls. salt bullseyes.
- Sch. Patrician, Rips, 43 bbls. salt bullseyes.

Vessels Sailed.

- Sch. Hope, swordfishing.
- Sch. Rebecca, Rips.

Today's Fish Market.

- Cape North salt cod, large, \$3; mediums, \$2.75.
- Cape North fresh cod, large, \$1.55; mediums, \$1.40.
- Outside sales fresh western cod, large, \$2; market, \$1.65; haddock, 65c. and 67 1-2c.
- Outside sales fresh eastern cod, large, \$1.70; mediums, \$1.50.
- Outside sales salt Rips cod, \$3.60 per cwt. for large and \$3.25 for mediums.
- Outside sales trawl bank salt cod, large, \$2.87 1-2; mediums, \$2.62 1-2; snappers, \$1.50.
- Salt dory handline codfish, large, \$3.25; mediums, \$3.
- Outside sales of round pollock, 60c. per cwt.
- Fresh halibut, 6 cents per lb., right through.
- Fresh large mackerel, 15 cts. each.
- Fresh medium mackerel, 16 cts. each.
- Salt shore mackerel, unrimmed \$18, per barrel.
- Salt bullseyes, \$7.87 1-2 per bbl.
- Board of Trade prices:
- Large drift Georges cod, \$3.60 per cwt.; medium cod, \$3.25.
- Large halibut cod, \$3 per cwt.; medium cod, \$2.75; snappers, \$1.75.

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- Trawl salt Georges cod, large, \$3.50, medium, \$3.00.
- Dory handline salt cod, large, \$3.25, medium, \$3.00.
- Eastern drift salt cod, large, \$3.50, medium, \$3.15.
- Trawl bank cod, large, \$2.87 1-2 per cwt.; medium, \$2.62 1-2; snappers, \$1.50.
- Salt cusk, large, \$2.50 per cwt.; medium, \$2.00, snappers, \$1.
- Salt pollock, \$1 per cwt.; salt haddock, \$1; salt hake, \$1.
- Splitting price for fresh fish, Western cod, large, \$2 per cwt.; medium do., \$1.65; Eastern cod, large, \$1.70; medium cod, \$1.50; cusk, \$1.65 for large, \$1.20 for medium, and 50 cts. for snappers; haddock, 65 cts.; hake, 65 cts., pollock, 60 cts.

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100 Bbls. of Mackerel for \$2500.

The trip of Mackerel of the Sch. Saladin caught on the S. E. part of Georges was sold to the Consumers Fish Co., E. K. Burnham, Mgr. 119 bbls. first salting would equal about 100 bbls. when ready to pack. These very fat fish were vessel ploughed and taken proper care of. Does it not pay to save fish as they should be?

E. K. BURNHAM, Mgr.

CONSUMERS FISH CO.

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DEATH OF JOHN G. DAGGETT

One of the Best Informed Men in Fish Business.

John Gilman Daggett, one of the best known and best liked men in this city, passed away this morning after a few weeks illness in the 59th year of his age.

Mr. Daggett was born at Princeton, his parents being John Gilman and Augusta L. (Warner) Daggett. For many years he was engaged in the fish business in Boston, being a member of the firm of DeButts & Daggett, and on the retirement of that concern a few years ago, came to this city in the capacity of manager for William H. Jordan & Co., remaining with them up to the time of his death.

Mr. Daggett was one of the best informed men in the fish business in the country. He was the first man to engage in the Irish mackerel trade in this country, and what he did not know about the business was hardly worth knowing.

A man of genial disposition, affable, courteous, even dispositioned, he was a man among many, one whom to know, was to respect and like, without qualification. His passing away is sincerely regretted by a large circle of friends.

He leaves a mother and two sisters to mourn his loss.

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NO MACKEREL NEWS TODAY.

Fleet Probably Has Bad and Foggy Weather.

There is nothing new in the mackerel situation today. Sch. Patrician came in yesterday with a few barrels of salt bullseyes, but nothing has been heard from the Georges fleet.

The skippers now home think the weather has been bad and foggy with the fishermen out on the southern edge of Georges the past few days, but all believe that good news, in the shape of some good fares will come from that direction soon.

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GROUND FISH PRICES BETTER.

No Fresh Mackerel Received at Boston Today.

T wharf has no fresh mackerel today, and this is the first occasion for quite a while it has been without this most desirable fish article. Swordfish too, are scarce, but there is enough of ground fish, although not an over-supply. Fourteen vessels have fares all the way from 3000 to 45,000 pounds. There is a good market on haddock and large cod, and haddock and hake are going fair at better than splitting prices.

The arrivals in detail were:
Boston Arrivals.
Sch. Sarah, 26 swordfish.
Sch. Hobo, 27 swordfish.
Sch. Lydia.
Sch. Thistle, 400 cod, 700 pollock.
Sch. Yankee, 11,000 haddock, 11,000 cod, 3000 pollock.
Sch. Harvester, 11,000 haddock, 8000 cod, 2000 pollock.
Sch. Washakie, 10,000 haddock, 8000 cod.
Sch. Robert and Arthur, 17,000 haddock, 6000 cod, 21,000 hake.
Sch. Appomattox, 1000 haddock, 27,000 cod.
Sch. Nettie, 1000 cod, 2000 pollock.
Sch. Philip P. Manta, 5000 haddock, 16,000 cod, 10,000 pollock.
Sch. Sylvia M. Nunan, 1000 cod, 30,000 hake.
Sch. Mary Edith, 1000 cod, 25,000 hake, 3000 cusk.
Sch. Francis V. Sylvia, 10,000 haddock, 6000 cod, 5000 hake.
Sch. Matchless, 6000 haddock, 20,000 cod, 30,000 pollock.
Sch. Richard, 6000 haddock, 15,000 cod, 20,000 pollock.
Sch. Mary T. Fallon, 2 bbls. salt mackerel.
Haddock, \$2.50 per cwt.; large cod, \$3.25; market cod, \$2; hake, \$1 to \$1.50; pollock, 75 cts. to \$1.

Nova Scotia Fish Movements.
Sand Point—Cod and herring fair.
Lockeport—Cod fair; herring in nets and traps.
Liverpool—Cod, haddock, herring and squid fair; American vessel Bohemia in with 240,000 lbs. salt fish, reports fish scarce on Labrador coast.
Lunenburg—Cod fair.
Musquodoboit—Cod, haddock and herring fair.
Salmon River—Cod plenty; salmon and trout fair.
Isaac's Harbor—Cod and salmon fair; from four to 10 bbls. herring per boat.
Cheticamp—Cod and squid very plenty; haddock fair; boats running up to 2100 lbs. cod.
Mabou—Scale fish said to be plenty but owing to scarcity of bait no catches reported.
Port Hood—Haddock fair; cod and herring scarce.
Eseuminac Point—Cod plenty; mackerel fair; salmon scarce.

Portland Fish Notes.
The sch. Robert and Carr came in Monday with 200 barrels of blueback herring on board, which were taken in the vicinity of Seguin Island. The entire cargo was taken out at Central wharf and placed in the Portland Cold Storage plant, where they will be frozen and sold for bait later on.
The fishing steamer Florence and Mildred was in Monday with a shark's liver from which nearly four barrels of oil were extracted.
Sch. Elizabeth W. Nunan, a member of the celebrated Nunan fishing fleet, came in here Monday with a supply of fish on board. Stores were obtained and another trip will be made to the grounds in order to secure a large-sized fare.
Monster Swordfish.
One of the big swordfishes brought by sch. Lillian at Boston on Monday fought hard for life, and attacked the dory that was out after it, driving its sword through the bottom. The largest fish brought in was on the Lafayette. It weighed 481 pounds without head and tail and gutted, and when caught must have weighed about 600 pounds. Capt. Lubece had one nearly as large, which weighed cleaned 441 pounds, and would have weighed when caught nearly 550 pounds. Several of the vessels brought in whole fish for dealers who asked for them for exhibition.

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Shark Measured 15 Feet.
On sch. George H. Lubece, at T wharf, Boston, on Monday was the head of a big hammerhead shark, which had been captured after a struggle that Capt. Lubece said lasted five hours. The big fish measured 15 feet. It was taken from the side of the vessel, and when it was got aboard the crew found they did not have a place to put it on ice, because the 96 swordfish in the hold took up all the spare room. They took out the backbone of the shark and cut off its head as trophies.

Trawls Carried Away By Tide.
Sch. Rose Dorothea, Capt. Marion Perry, met with a loss that will cut deep into the profits of her last trip. She was fishing in the channel, where the fishermen have had considerable trouble this year from swift tides, when 36 tubs of trawls, worth \$250 were carried away by the tide.

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BOHEMIA HAS 250,000 LBS. COD

Only Four Fishing Arrivals at This Port.

Gloucester Day brought in a few vessels, but none came this morning. Schs. Walter P. Goulart and Frances P. Mesquita came from Boston with their fares for the splitters, sch. Teazer had a few halibut and a lot of fresh cod and sch. Bohemia, one of the few remaining first trip salt trawl bankers, is home with a nice fare, 250,000 pounds of salt cod. In the fish line, things are certainly dull today.

The arrival and receipts were as follows:

Today's Receipts.
Sch. Bohemia, salt banking, 250,000 lbs. salt cod.
Sch. Teazer, Brown's Bank, 3000 lbs. halibut, 60,000 lbs. salt cod.
Sch. Walter P. Goulart, via Boston, 55,000 lbs. fresh fish.
Sch. Frances P. Mesquita, via Boston.

Today's Fish Market.
Cape North salt cod, large, \$3; mediums, \$2.75.
Cape North fresh cod, large, \$1.55; mediums, \$1.40.
Outside sales fresh western cod, large, \$2; market, \$1.65; haddock, 65c. and 67 1-2c.
Outside sales fresh eastern cod, large, \$1.70; mediums, \$1.50.
Outside sales salt Rips cod, \$3.60 per cwt. for large and \$3.25 for mediums.
Outside sales trawl bank salt cod, large, \$2.87 1-2; mediums, \$2.62 1-2; snappers, \$1.50.
Salt dory headline codfish, large, \$3.25; mediums, \$3.
Outside sales of round pollock, 60c. per cwt.
Fresh halibut, 6 cents per lb., right through.
Fresh large mackerel, 15 cts. each.
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French Trawlers at North Sydney.
Seventeen French steam trawlers to arrive at North Sydney, C. B., within seven days is the record made last week when the above number came in for bunker coal provisions, etc. All of these trawlers were consigned to J. J. Forbes of the firm of Archibald & Co. Many of the trawlers have secured large catches already, some of which has been landed at St. Pierre.

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Made Good Stocks.
Sch. Saladin, Capt. John McKinnon, stocked \$6200 on her recent fine mackerel trip, the crew sharing \$139.66.
The crew of sch. Pontiac, Capt. Enos Nickerson, shared just \$100 as the result of her recent seining trip.

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MACKEREL FLEET MEET WITH STORM.

Good Catches on Georges Expected With Clearing Weather.

There has been but one fare of fresh mackerel landed since last report, sch. Forbes, arriving at T wharf yesterday afternoon with 50 barrels of fresh bullseyes. The fish sold quickly at \$6 per barrel.

The weather has been bad for seining the past few days, on Georges, but as the fish can be easier caught there after a storm or blow, it is hoped that some hauls may be forthcoming as soon as it is fair weather again.

A large number of the seining fleet that have been in here the past few days, will sail today for the fishing grounds on the southern part of Georges.

The few mackerel received at Boston yesterday came from outside. From the provinces the Yarmouth steamer brought 14 barrels of mackerel, with a turtle and 14 cases of halibut. Two of the little mackerel catchers were reported at Newport Thursday morning, the Marguerite with 1200 mackerel and the Olive B. with 600.

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ONLY TWO FARES AT BOSTON.

Price on Haddock and Cod Up to \$5 Per Cwt.

Only two vessels arrived at Boston yesterday after the morning bell rang, one with a few swordfish and the other with a small lot of fresh bullseyes. This morning at T wharf there is but one vessel with fish. On this scarcity, haddock and large cod bounded up to \$5 per hundred weight.

The seiner in yesterday was sch. Thomas J. Carroll and the lucky market fisherman in this morning is sch. Alice and she will profit well on her 17,000 pounds of fish.

Boston Arrivals.
The arrivals in detail are:
Sch. Alice 10,000 haddock, 3000 cod, 3500 hake, 1000 pollock.
Sloop Bessie, 15 swordfish.
Sch. Thomas J. Carroll, 50 bbls. fresh bullseyes.
Haddock, \$5 per cwt.; large cod, \$5; market cod, \$3; hake, \$1.75; pollock, \$1.25; swordfish, 9 1-3 cts. per lb.; fresh bullseyes \$6 per bbl.

The Pacific Halibut Fishery.
Here is the way the Clark's Harbor, N. S., Coast Guard sizes up the halibut situation and bait troubles on the Pacific coast:
"Our Prince Rupert letter confirms the opinion we expressed last week that the great American company working the Pacific waters would not be hampered by regulations regarding bait, if such had actually been made. In any event, as the Coast-Guard stated, and as our correspondent points out, the American boats have Seattle under their lee, but now it appears that the recent order does not touch the New England firm.
"They seem to be a chosen people, and their own government is paternal enough, goodness knows, putting a high duty on halibut to help them capture the market, and permitting them to ship men in Canada, in spite of the alien contract law.
"If that company sees fit to adopt steam trawling, as rumored it looks as if they might have their way. When Stimson was down here he boasted in his cups that 'his company owned both governments.' It is altogether likely that the New England firm has a hand, if not the first cut in the gigantic enterprise at Prince Rupert. When in full possession of the field, while crews will be compelled to accept terms, if indeed they are in it at all."